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Page 1,

line 12: delete "regulation" and insert therefor  
--regulations--; and  
line 22: delete "comprises" and insert therefor  
--comprise--.

Page 2,

line 1: before "automobile" insert --an--; and  
line 16: after "however," insert --do not-- and after "have"  
delete --no--.

Page 3,

line 14: before "exhaust" insert --an-- and before  
"internal" insert --an--;  
line 16: before "internal" insert --an--; and  
line 21: delete "a" at the beginning of the line and insert

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therefor --an-- and delete "H type β-zeolite" and  
insert therefor --H/β-zeolite--.

Page 4,

line 3: delete "consistuting" and insert therefor  
--constituting--;

line 4: after "connect" insert --with--;

line 9: delete "H type β-zeolites" and insert therefor --  
H/β-zeolites-- and before "durability" insert --a--

line 12: delete "H type β-zeolites" and insert therefor --  
H/β-zeolites-- and before "durability" insert --a--  
; and

line 19: delete "severer" and insert therefor  
--more severe--.

Page 5,

line 4: after "invention," delete "a" and insert therefor

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--an--;

line 5: delete "H type β-zeolite" and insert therefor --  
H/β-zeolite--;  
line 6: delete "was" and insert therefor --is--;  
line 10: delete "H type β-zeolite" and insert therefor --  
H/β-zeolite--; and  
line 14: delete "H type β-zeolite" and insert therefor --  
H/β-zeolite--.

Page 6,

line 9: delete "H type β-zeolite" and insert therefor --  
H/β-zeolite--;  
line 12: delete "H type β-zeolite" and insert therefor --  
H/β-zeolite--;  
line 16: delete "H type β-zeolite" and insert therefor --  
H/β-zeolite--; and  
line 18: delete "H type β-zeolite" and insert therefor --  
H/β-zeolite--.

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Page 7,

line 2: delete "H type β-zeolite" and insert therefor --  
H/β-zeolite-- and delete "was" and insert therefor  
--is--;  
line 3: delete "A" and insert therefor --An-- and delete  
"H-type";  
line 4: delete "β-zeolite" and insert therefor --H/β-  
zeolite--; and  
line 12: delete "H type β-zeolite" and insert therefor --  
H/β-zeolite--.

Page 8,

line 6: delete "of" and insert therefor --an--;  
line 8: delete "such" and insert therefor --one-- and after  
"that" insert --is--; and  
line 11: delete "passing" and insert therefor --passage--.

Page 9,

line 3: delete "H type";

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line 4: delete "β-zeolite" and insert therefor --H/β-  
zeolite--; and  
line 22: delete "Rh" and insert therefor --Pd--.

Page 10,

line 4: delete "a" after "mainly of" and insert therefor --  
an-- and delete "H type β-zeolite" and insert  
therefor --H/β-zeolite--.

Page 12,

line 17: delete "H type β-zeolite" and insert therefor --  
H/β-zeolite--.

Page 13,

line 17: delete "A" and insert therefor --An-- and delete "H  
type β-zeolite" and insert therefor --H/β-  
zeolite--; and  
line 21: delete "H type β-zeolite" and insert therefor --  
H/β-zeolite--.

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Page 15,

line 2: delete "a H" and insert therefor --an--;  
line 3: delete "type β-Zeolite" and insert therefor --H/β-  
zeolite--;  
line 4: before "H" delete "a" and insert therefor --an--;  
and  
line 11: delete "H type β-zeolites" and insert therefor --  
H/β-zeolites--;

Page 16,

line 5: delete "a H" and insert therefor --an--;  
line 6: delete " type β-Zeolite" and insert therefor --H/β-  
zeolite--; and  
line 7: before "H" delete "a" and insert therefor --an--.

Page 17,

line 5: delete "were" and insert therefor --was--;  
line 8: delete "an"; and

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line 22: after "with" delete "a" and insert therefor --an--  
and delete "H type β-zeolite" and insert therefor  
--H/β-zeolite--.

Page 19,

line 11: after with delete "a" and insert therefor --an--  
and delete "H type β-zeolite" and insert therefor -  
-H/β-zeolite--.

line 22: delete "amount" and insert therefor --amounts-.

Page 20,

line 5: delete "were" and insert therefor --was--.

Page 21,

line 1 of Footnotes: delete "Figure" and insert therefor  
--Figures--.

Page 22,

line 1: delete "H type β-zeolites" and insert therefor --

H/ $\beta$ -zeolites--;

line 4: delete "H";

line 5: delete "type  $\beta$ -Zeolite" and insert therefor --H/ $\beta$ -  
zeolite--; and

line 9: delete "H type  $\beta$ -zeolites" and insert therefor --  
H/ $\beta$ -zeolites--.

Page 23,

line 19: delete "were" and insert therefor --was--.

Page 26,

Table 2: Example 7: in the column entitled "Order of mounting  
of system components\*\*": after "Adsorbent-catalyst" delete  
"E" and insert therefor --C--.

Page 27,

line 3: delete "H type  $\beta$ ";

line 4: delete "zeolite" and insert therefor --H/ $\beta$ -  
zeolite--.